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COMPOSITIONS FOR
DIAGNOSIS AND
TREATMENT OF IRON
OVERLOAD DISEASES AND
IRON DEFICIENCY
DISEASES

Attorney Docket No: 8907-098-999

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR § 1.136(a)

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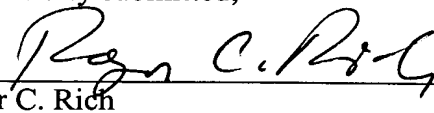
Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action dated May 17, 2004 be extended for a period of 2 month(s) from August 17, 2004 to and including October 17, 2004.

The fee for this extension is estimated to be \$430.00 . Please charge the required fee to Jones Day Deposit Account No. 50-3013 (Order No. 043018-999098). A copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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